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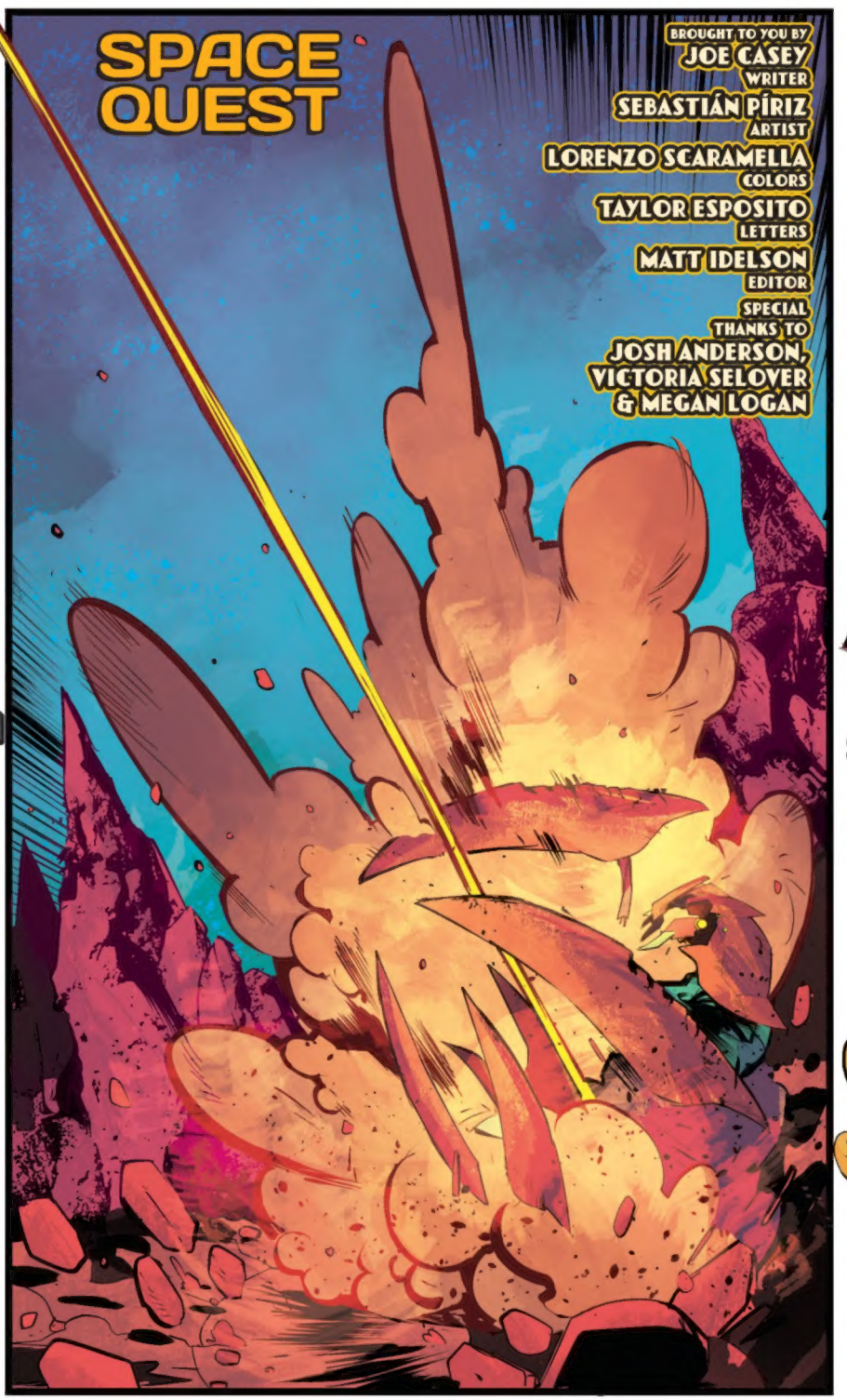
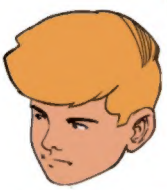
I'M COMING FOR YOU NEXT, NIGHTMARE!
LOOK OUT, HADJI--!
I AM! THIS CONFLICT IS ESCALATING TOO QUICKLY!
RAWF RAWF
DAMN YOU, SPACE GHOST!
YOU WILL NOT DISRUPT MY PLANS FOR UNIVERSAL CONQUEST AGAIN! THIS FIGHT WILL BE YOUR LAST--

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"RACE" BANNON

HADJI

BANDIT

SPACE GHOST

JACE

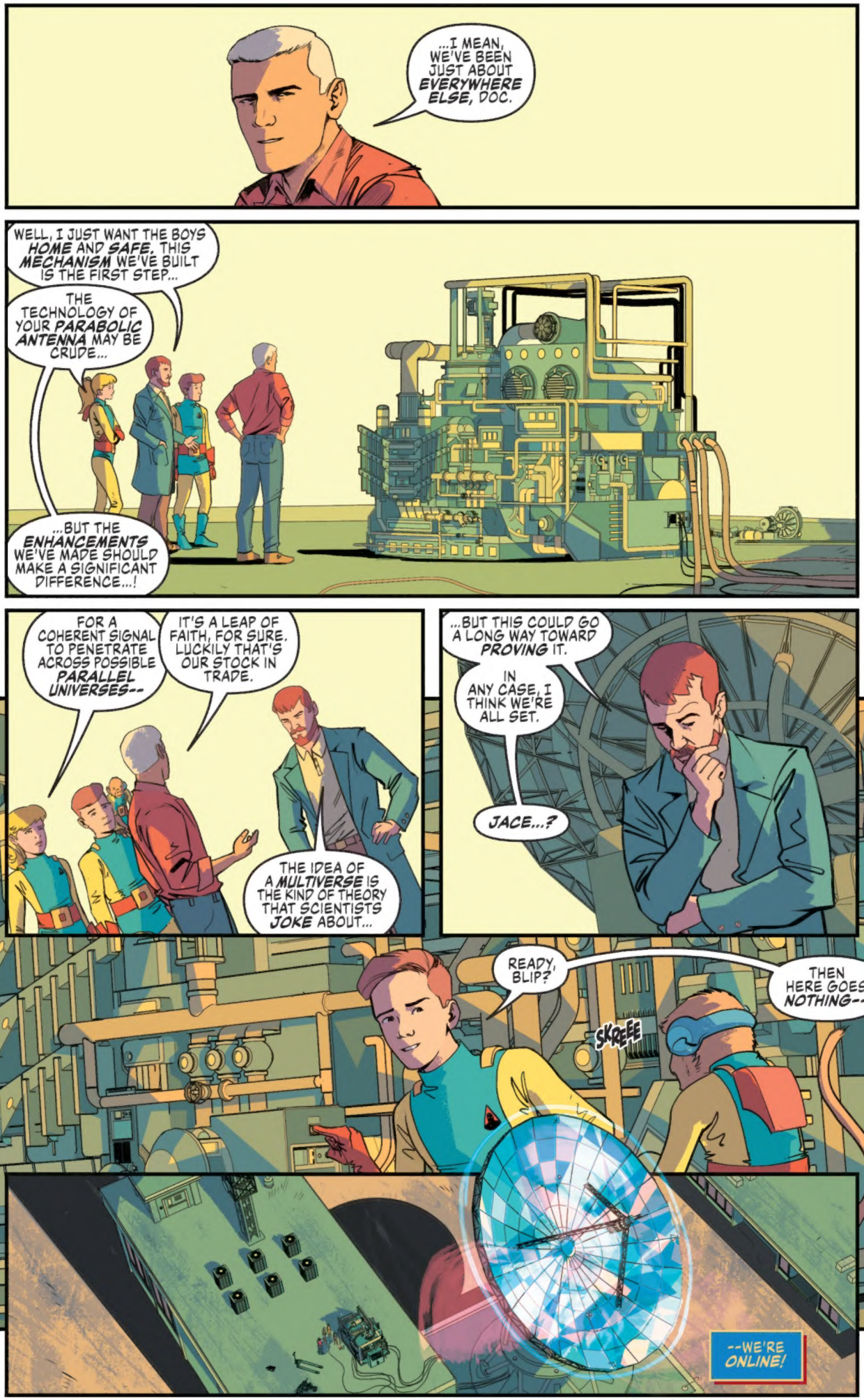
JAN

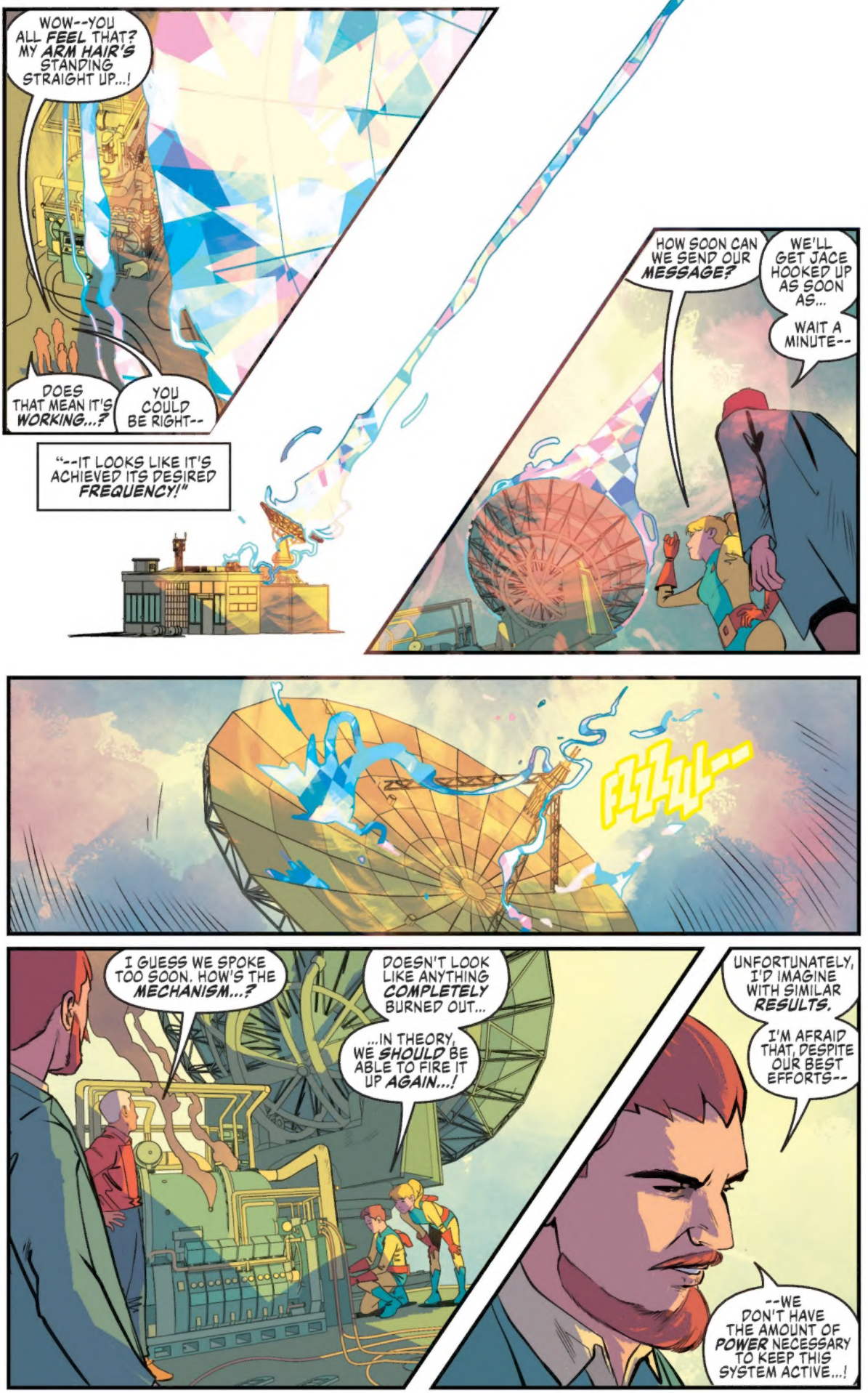
BLIP

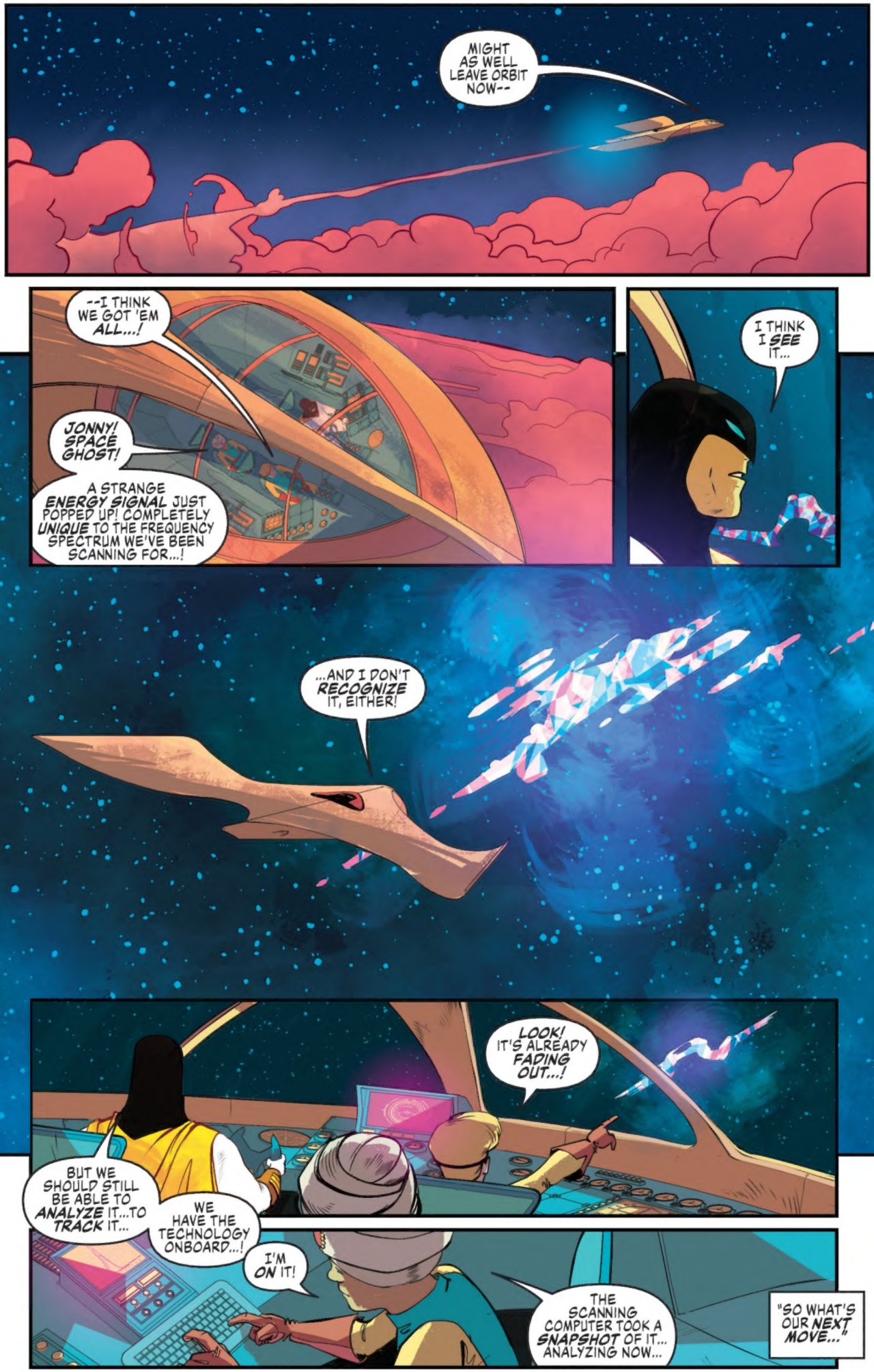
YOU TWO--
--HAVE QUICKLY EVOLVED FROM ANNOYANCE TO THREAT!
WHA--?!
AND THIS MEWLING CREATURE WILL BE GRANTED A QUICK DEATH--
GRRRRR
NO!
DON'T YOU DARE HURT BANDIT!
HADJI--
WAY AHEAD OF YOU, JONNY!
HUUDDTT--!
AND I'VE GOT THE FOLLOW-UP MOVE--
--BATTER UP!
GULHHN--!
LET'S GET GOING, GUYS!
YES! THIS WOULD-BE DESPOT HAS MET HIS DESERVED FATE--HIS EVIL PLAN AVERTED!
ALTHOUGH-- I WONDER HOW SPACE GHOST IS FARING--?

TIME'S UP--
--THIS IS WHERE YOU MEET YOUR MAKER--
--IN OBLIVION!
SPACE GHOST!
WE DID IT! DR. NIGHTMARE'S OUT FOR THE COUNT!
GOOD WORK, JONNY--

--BUT I'VE GOT A STRONG *FEEING* THIS MISSION'S NOT OVER *YET!*
BACK TO THE *PHANTOM CRUISER!*
...I'M *TELLING* YOU, THAT NIGHTMARE CREEP IS DONE FOR!
I'M SURE HE *IS*, BUT WE NEED TO MAKE *SURE* THAT ANY *REMAINING* CONSTRUCTS AREN'T STILL RUNNING WILD--
--AND ANY POTENTIAL *STRAYS* ARE FULLY *CONTAINED!*
YOU TWO--INITIATE PLANETARY SCANS. THE ONBOARD SYSTEMS SHOULD BE FAIRLY INTUITIVE...
NO PROBLEM! IF THERE'S ANY MONSTERS LEFT, *WE'LL* FIND THEM!
THIS IS *GREAT!* I CAN'T WAIT TO TELL MY DAD AND RACE ALL *ABOUT* IT--
--WHENEVER WE *GET* BACK HOME, THAT IS!
"SO I GUESS WE'RE TALKING ABOUT REAL *OUTER SPACE* STUFF..."


...I MEAN, WE'VE BEEN JUST ABOUT EVERYWHERE ELSE, DOC.
WELL, I JUST WANT THE BOYS HOME AND SAFE. THIS MECHANISM WE'VE BUILT IS THE FIRST STEP...
THE TECHNOLOGY OF YOUR PARABOLIC ANTENNA MAY BE CRUDE...
...BUT THE ENHANCEMENTS WE'VE MADE SHOULD MAKE A SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE...!
FOR A COHERENT SIGNAL TO PENETRATE ACROSS POSSIBLE PARALLEL UNIVERSES--
IT'S A LEAP OF FAITH, FOR SURE. LUCKILY THAT'S OUR STOCK IN TRADE.
THE IDEA OF A MULTIVERSE IS THE KIND OF THEORY THAT SCIENTISTS JOKE ABOUT...
...BUT THIS COULD GO A LONG WAY TOWARD PROVING IT.
IN ANY CASE, I THINK WE'RE ALL SET.
JACE...?
READY, BLIP?
THEN HERE GOES NOTHING--
SKREEE
--WE'RE ONLINE!


WOW--YOU ALL FEEL THAT? MY ARM HAIR'S STANDING STRAIGHT UP...!
DOES THAT MEAN IT'S WORKING...?
YOU COULD BE RIGHT--
"--IT LOOKS LIKE IT'S ACHIEVED ITS DESIRED FREQUENCY!"
HOW SOON CAN WE SEND OUR MESSAGE?
WE'LL GET JACE HOOKED UP AS SOON AS...
WAIT A MINUTE--
FZZZT--
I GUESS WE SPOKE TOO SOON. HOW'S THE MECHANISM...?
DOESN'T LOOK LIKE ANYTHING COMPLETELY BURNED OUT...
...IN THEORY, WE SHOULD BE ABLE TO FIRE IT UP AGAIN...!
UNFORTUNATELY, I'D IMAGINE WITH SIMILAR RESULTS.
I'M AFRAID THAT, DESPITE OUR BEST EFFORTS--
--WE DON'T HAVE THE AMOUNT OF POWER NECESSARY TO KEEP THIS SYSTEM ACTIVE...!


MIGHT AS WELL LEAVE ORBIT NOW--
--I THINK WE GOT 'EM ALL...!
JONNY! SPACE GHOST!
A STRANGE ENERGY SIGNAL JUST POPPED UP! COMPLETELY UNIQUE TO THE FREQUENCY SPECTRUM WE'VE BEEN SCANNING FOR...!
I THINK I SEE IT...
...AND I DON'T RECOGNIZE IT, EITHER!
LOOK! IT'S ALREADY FADING OUT...!
BUT WE SHOULD STILL BE ABLE TO ANALYZE IT...TO TRACK IT...
WE HAVE THE TECHNOLOGY ONBOARD...!
I'M ON IT!
THE SCANNING COMPUTER TOOK A SNAPSHOT OF IT... ANALYZING NOW...
"SO WHAT'S OUR NEXT MOVE..."

...IF, IN FACT, THERE IS ONE...?
SEEMS WE MAY FINALLY BE OUT OF OUR DEPTH...
ACTUALLY, WE HAVE IN OUR POSSESSION WHAT I WOULD CONSIDER A LAST RESORT...
...OUR "SOUVENIR" FROM THE FUTURE, THIS AMPLIFICATION CIRCUIT.
THE SURVIVING COMPONENT FROM FUKUNAGA? I THOUGHT YOU SAID IT WAS TOO DANGEROUS TO EVER CONSIDER USING...
YOU'RE RIGHT, RACE. THIS IS EXTREMELY DANGEROUS. BUT WE NEED TO BOOST THE OUTPUT IF THIS MECHANISM IS GOING TO WORK...
...THAT MEANS REPLACING ONE VITAL CIRCUIT...
...WITH THIS ONE.
IF WE'RE LUCKY, THE RESILIENCE OF THIS CIRCUIT WILL BRIDGE THE GAP BETWEEN OUR LEVEL OF TECHNOLOGY AND THE SPACE AGE TECH WE UTILIZED FROM JAN AND JACE'S CRAFT...
...AND WE'LL AVOID ANOTHER OVERLOAD.
WELL, THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO FIND OUT, ISN'T THERE...?
OKAY, BLIP...

...HIT IT!
YECH
SO FAR, SO GOOD!
IN FACT... IT'S A LOT MORE *INTENSE* THAN BEFORE! YOU HEAR THAT *HUMMING...?*
YOU'RE *RIGHT*, RACE. THE MECHANISM SEEMS TO BE OPERATING TO *PEAK CAPACITY* NOW--
--ALLOWING OUR REFLECTOR TO PRODUCE A MUCH *WIDER*, MORE *PENETRATIVE* BEAMWIDTH!
LET'S JUST HOPE IT LASTS LONG ENOUGH!
JACE! IT'S TIME TO ATTEMPT TO MAKE *CONTACT...*
COPY THAT!
THIS'LL BE A *FIRST*, GUYS! DIRECT, REAL-TIME COMMUNICATION-- POSSIBLY ACROSS *MULTI-DIMENSIONAL* BARRIERS!
THE *WAVE BOOSTER* WE FASHIONED WILL ALLOW ME TO TRANSFORM *THOUGHT* INTO *MESSAGE...*
LET'S JUST HOPE SPACE GHOST GETS IT!

HADJI! HAVE YOU BEEN ABLE TO TRACK THAT FREQUENCY...?
I-I THINK SO...
...SCANNERS ARE PICKING UP SOME-THING...!
WOW! ANYONE RECOGNIZE THAT VOICE...?
ACTUALLY, I DO--
--IT'S JACE!
JACE... THAT'S ONE OF YOURS...?
YES! AND IT STANDS TO REASON THAT HE'S TRAPPED WHEREVER YOU TWO CAME FROM...
...SO IT'S IMPERATIVE THAT WE TRACK THAT TRANSMISSION SIGNAL BACK TO ITS POINT OF ORIGIN!
HOW IS THAT EVEN POSSIBLE TO--
--WAIT! SCANNERS ARE DETECTING SOME SORT OF...
...WHAT IS A "WORM-HOLE"...?!
IT'S A TUNNEL THROUGH SPACETIME--
--AND WE'RE GOING IN!
LET'S JUST HOPE THERE'S NO MORE TROUBLE AHEAD--

S-SOUNDS LIKE I SPOKE TOO SOON...!
IT'S TRYING TO TEAR THE SHIP APART!
YOLP
YOLP
YOLP
TOO LATE--WE'RE ALL BEING PULLED IN--
HANG ON--!
...ONE...
...GIANT LEAP...
...OF FAITH...

"WE HAVE NO WAY OF KNOWING IF WE'LL GET ANY KIND OF RESPONSE--"
--BUT WE NEED TO KEEP IT UP AS LONG AS POSSIBLE!
I DON'T KNOW...IF I CAN HOLD ON...MUCH LONGER...
SKREE?!
I C-CAN'T--
--UGGHH--!
JACE!
TALK TO ME, SON! ARE YOU--?
...I'M ALRIGHT... I'M ALRIGHT...
...IT WAS JUST...TOO MUCH FEED-BACK...
UH, GUYS? LOOKS LIKE SOMETHING ELSE IS HAPPENING...
IT'S A BUILDUP OF ENERGY!
AND IT'S GETTING MORE INTENSE! LIKE IT'S SOME SORT OF PORTAL OPENING--

CLEARLY, YOUR ASSESSMENT WAS RIGHT ON THE MONEY, JAN!
IT LOOKS LIKE ANOTHER SHIP--
JACE! IT'S THE PHANTOM CRUISER!
BUT... WHAT'S THAT WINGED CREATURE--?!
I DON'T KNOW...
...BUT I DON'T GIVE IT GREAT ODDS...
LOOK--

RACE! SHOULD WE ATTEMPT TO INTERVENE...?
HONESTLY, DOC... I WOULDN'T KNOW HOW!
WELCOME TO A LITTLE PIECE OF OUR WORLD, GENTLEMEN!
NO NEED TO PANIC YET--
--FOR NOW, JUST ENJOY THE SHOW!
MINDLESS BEAST! I'M SURE YOU HAVE NO COMPREHENSION OF WHAT JUST OCCURRED...
...BUT I DON'T THINK EITHER ONE OF US BELONG HERE--
JONNY--?!
I SAW IT!
SPACE GHOST NEEDS A LITTLE HELP!
I'M PRETTY SURE I CAN FLY THIS THING WITHOUT CRASHING IT NOW--

--AND RUN A LITTLE INTERFERENCE TO BUY HIM SOME TIME!
NICE MOVE!
I'M JUST ASSUMING THAT THE CAPED FLYER IS ON THE SIDE OF THE ANGELS...
...BUT I THINK HE'S POSITIONING HIMSELF TO CLOSE THE DEAL!
I SHOULD'VE FINISHED THIS IN OUR FIRST ENCOUNTER--
--I WON'T MAKE THAT SAME MISTAKE AGAIN!

WOO-HOO!
THAT GOT IT!
IT SURE DID, JONNY! HE COMPLETELY INCINERATED IT!
SPACE GHOST!
YOU DID GET OUR MESSAGE!
YEEECH
LOOKS LIKE A FAMILY REUNION TO ME, WHAT DO YOU THINK?
ABSOLUTELY...
...BUT WHERE'S JONNY AND HADJI?

"DON'T WORRY, RACE. I HAVE A STRONG FEELING WE'RE ABOUT TO FIND OUT..."
NOT A BAD LANDING.
KID'S GONNA MAKE ONE HELLUVA STAR PILOT SOMEDAY...!
JONNY--
--YOU'RE BACK!
DAD!
BOY, AM I GLAD TO SEE YOU!
LISTEN, YOU GUYS AREN'T GONNA BELIEVE WHERE WE'VE BEEN!
HONESTLY, I'M STILL HAVING TROUBLE BELIEVING IT...!
CAN'T WAIT TO HEAR ALL ABOUT IT, BOYS--
--IN THE MEAN-TIME, WE'RE JUST RELIEVED YOU BOTH RETURNED IN ONE PIECE!
I'M GRATIFIED TO SEE YOU BOTH. YOU ACQUITTED YOURSELVES WELL HERE, I TAKE IT...?
WE DIDN'T COME HERE ON PURPOSE--
LET'S NOT DWELL ON THAT, JAN. THE IMPORANT THING IS THAT WE CAN RETURN HOME...

NOW THAT YOU'RE BACK SAFE AND SOUND, I'M DULY IMPRESSED, SON. THE JOURNEY YOU'VE UNDOUBTEDLY TAKEN...
...LITERALLY WHERE NO MAN HAS GONE BEFORE.
YOU SHOULDA SEEN IT, DAD...!
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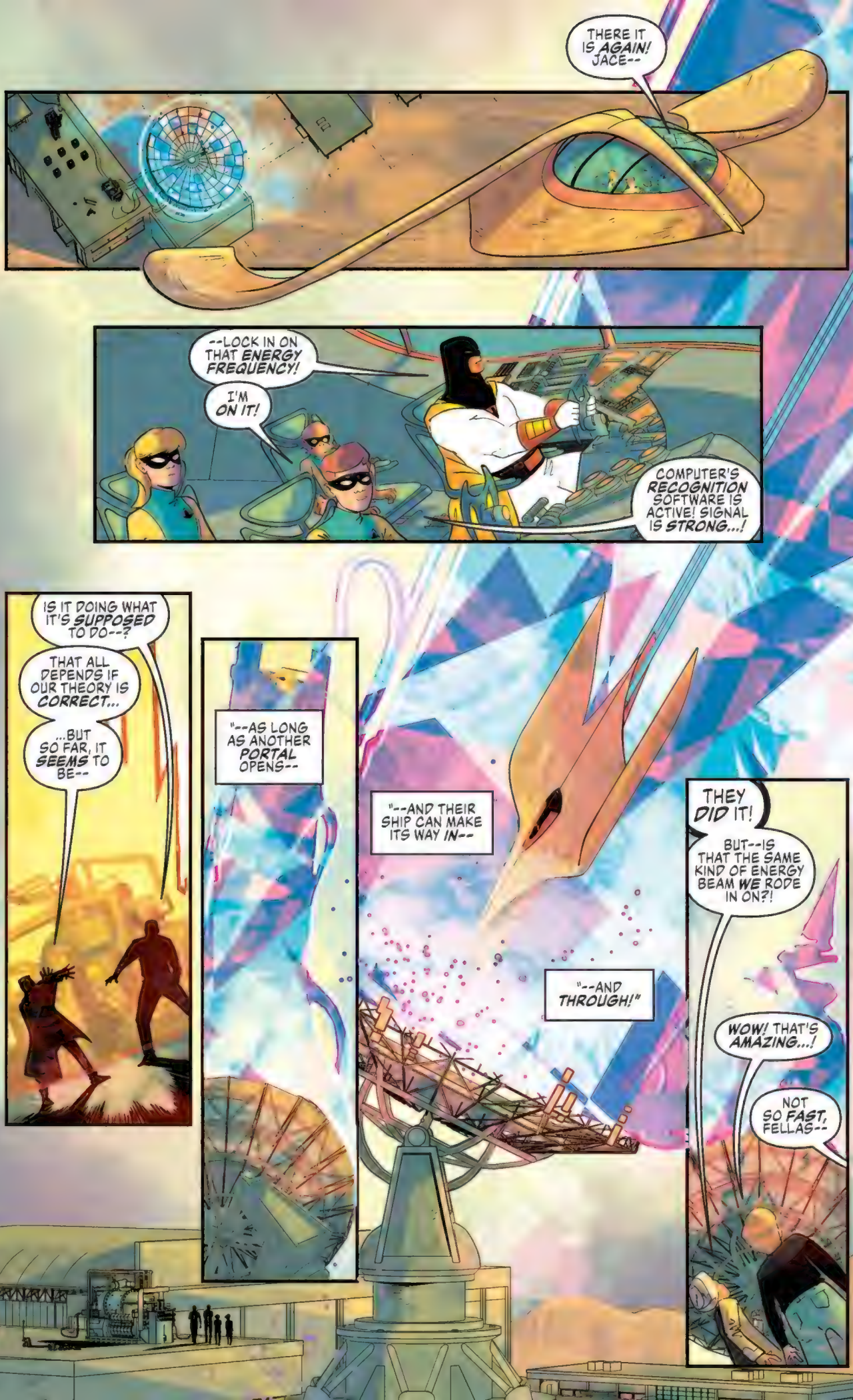
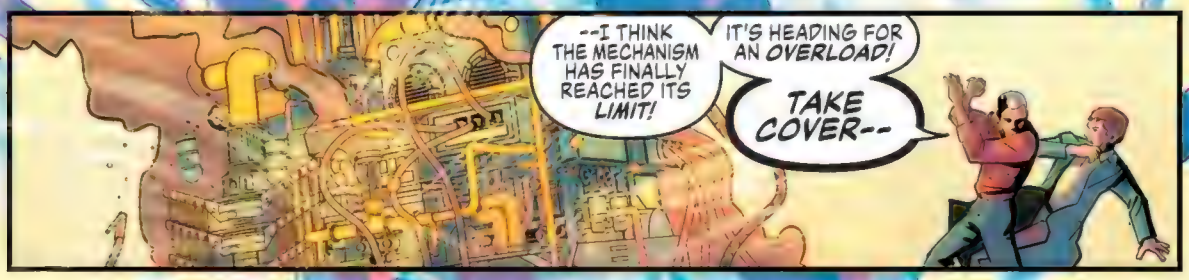
I'M WITH YOU, BANDIT...
...IT'S GREAT TO BE HOME, ISN'T IT?
YOU HAVE OUR GRATITUDE, MISTER...UMMM... "SPACE GHOST"...
THESE KIDS ARE INCREDIBLY CAPABLE...
...ALTHOUGH I WOULDN'T DISCOUNT A MEASURE OF LUCK INVOLVED.
LIKE MANY MYSTERIES OF THE UNIVERSE, WE MAY NEVER UNDERSTAND HOW IT ALL HAPPENED.
WELL, THE WAY IN WHICH WE WERE ABLE TO COMMUNICATE...THE METHOD OF YOUR ARRIVAL...IT ALL POINTS TO AN ENTIRELY NEW FIELD OF STUDY.
HOWEVER, I'D RATHER NOT DELVE TOO DEEPLY INTO THE COSMIC IMPLICATIONS AT THE MOMENT.
INSTEAD, LET'S WORK ON GETTING YOU AND YOUR CREW HOME...

A FEW HOURS LATER:
LOOKS LIKE EVERYTHING IS SET.
ALL THAT'S LEFT ARE THE FAREWELLS...
...NOW, YOU TWO BEHAVE YOURSELVES, ALRIGHT?
WE'LL MISS YOU, DR. QUEST.
IF YOU EVER MAKE IT TO OUR SECTOR OF THE UNIVERSE, BE SURE TO LOOK US UP...!
JONNY...HADJI... I WANT YOU TO KNOW...
...I WAS PROUD TO FIGHT ALONGSIDE YOU BOTH.
WOW...THANKS. THAT MEANS A LOT.
YOU'D BETTER TAKE THESE TRANSLATORS...
...AND SAFE TRAVELS TO YOU ALL.
ARE YOU SURE THIS IS GONNA WORK, DAD?
ALL THINGS BEING EQUAL...IT'S ALWAYS A ROLL OF THE DICE.
SO...WE'RE JUST GOING TO ATTEMPT TO RETURN THE SAME WAY YOU GOT HERE?
YOUR CONCERN IS NOTED, JAN...
...BUT IT'S THE ONLY CHOICE WE'VE GOT.
I SUSPECT WE'VE ONLY GOT ONE MORE SHOT AT THIS, SO EVERYONE CROSS YOUR FINGERS...!
RACE...?
ACTIVATING THE MECHANISM--
--NOW!


THERE IT IS AGAIN! JACE--
--LOCK IN ON THAT ENERGY FREQUENCY!
I'M ON IT!
COMPUTER'S RECOGNITION SOFTWARE IS ACTIVE! SIGNAL IS STRONG...!
IS IT DOING WHAT IT'S SUPPOSED TO DO--?
THAT ALL DEPENDS IF OUR THEORY IS CORRECT...
...BUT SO FAR, IT SEEMS TO BE--
"--AS LONG AS ANOTHER PORTAL OPENS--
"--AND THEIR SHIP CAN MAKE ITS WAY IN--
"--AND THROUGH!"
THEY DID IT!
BUT--IS THAT THE SAME KIND OF ENERGY BEAM WE RODE IN ON?!
WOW! THAT'S AMAZING...!
NOT SO FAST, FELLAS--


--I THINK THE MECHANISM HAS FINALLY REACHED ITS LIMIT!
IT'S HEADING FOR AN OVERLOAD!
TAKE COVER--

UHHH...IS EVERYONE OKAY...?
YEAH, BUT THIS CRATE IS FINALLY HAD IT--
--WHAT DO YOU THINK, DOC...?
HOPEFULL OUR NEW FRIENDS GOT HOME SAFELY. BUT I THINK YOU'RE RIGHT...

...IT APPEARS THE AMPLIFICATION CIRCUIT WAS COMPLETELY BURNT OUT THIS TIME.
I'LL SAY...!
Y'KNOW, I ALWAYS WAS A LITTLE NERVOUS HAVING THAT BIT OF FUTURE TECH HANGING AROUND...

A BLESSING AND A CURSE, NO DOUBT. BUT NOW IT'S USELESS TO US--OR ANYONE ELSE.
SO...ULTIMATELY, IT'S FOR THE BEST, I'D SAY.
EVERYTHING HAPPENS FOR A REASON, DAD. BUT I DUNNO...
...EVEN AFTER THIS ADVENTURE, I STILL FEEL LIKE THE BEST IS YET TO COME!

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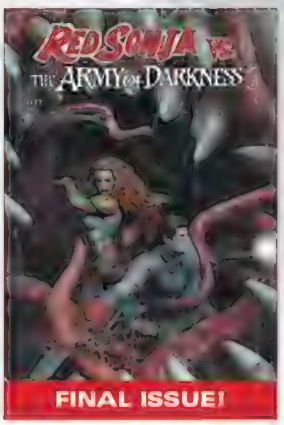

RED SONJA VS THE ARMY OF DARKNESS #5

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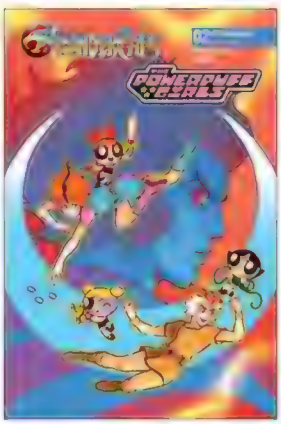
THE POWERPUFF GIRLS SUPERVILLAIN SUMMER SPECTACULAR



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